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FM AMEMBASSY LAGOS

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SUBJ: ALLEGED FMG PURCHASE OF US SECURITY EQUIPMENT

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1. ADEKUNLE'S SUSPENSION STILL IN EFFECT, WITH OPINION DIVIDED AS TO WHETHER OR NOT HE WILL EVENTUALLY BE REINSTATED OR FALL FROM POWER.
 2. UNDER THESE CLOUDED CIRCUMSTANCES HE SEEMS UNLIKELY CHOICE TO ACT ON BEHALF OF FMG. HE MAINTAINS HIGH LEVEL CONTACTS, HOWEVER, AND REPORTEDLY CONTINUES TO INVOLVE HIMSELF IN PRIVATE BUSINESS DEALS. WE UNSURE IF ANY OF HIS CURRENT DEALS ARE MORE LIKELY THAN PAST DEALS TO COME TO FRUITION (MOST DID NOT).
 3. BOVIOUSLY THE US FIRM INVOLVED SHOULD CONTINUE TO EXERCISE GREAT CAUTION. EMBASSY BELIEVES, HOWEVER, THAT IT WOULD BE WORTH THE RISK FOR MICRO-TEL REP TO TRAVEL TO LAGOS FOR FIRST HAND INVESTIGATION. EMBASSY WILL OF COURSE BE READY TO OFFER MICRO-TEL ALL FEASIBLE ON-THE-SPOT ASSISTANCE.
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